

Lions Club Spearheads Drive for Broadway Traffic Signals

Ask State to Install Signals at Intersection

The Lemon Grove Lions Club has started a move which if successful will result in the installation of traffic signals at the intersection of Broadway, Main and Imperial.

The club has contacted state highway officials, making known the request for signals, and pointing out the traffic hazard at the wide intersection.

The other organizations of the community are being enlisted in the campaign with a request that they write letters to the highway department, urging that the intersection receive the attention of the department.

Individuals of Lemon Grove are likewise asked by the Lions Club to write letters to the men whose addresses are given below, placing the story before them:

E. E. Wallace, District Engineer, State Highway Commission, 1365 Harbor drive, San Diego.

Charles H. Purcell, Division of Public Works, 1130 N. street, Sacramento.

Letters sent to San Diego County officials will merely confuse the matter and cause delay in getting relief at this intersection.

Being at the junction of Imperial and Highway 94, a state highway, therefore installation of signals will be the job of the State Highway.

The question was brought up by a county official here Wednesday, as to who would pay for the electricity required in the operation of the signals, there being no lighting district serving the area involved.

In many localities signals are hooked up with the lighting district and the problem is solved.

The state will maintain signals once they are installed on a state highway.

Baxter to Head Red Cross Drive

Forrest Baxter will head the Red Cross drive for memberships in Lemon Grove, with Mrs. Burt Snyder, James Pearce, Dr. Peter Shea and Rev. Dan Apra as the other members of the committee.

The quota for Lemon Grove is \$700.

The committee met Wednesday evening and organized. Another meeting is scheduled for Friday evening, March 3, at the Chamber of Commerce building when representatives from other organizations in town will meet with them to map plans for the drive.

GEM SOCIETY MEETS

The Tourmaline Gem and Mineral Society will meet Sunday at 7:30 p. m. in the club house in Porter Park, La Mesa. Ben Britin, Ralph Potter and Dr. J. W. Estabrook as a committee will report on plans for a mineral exhibit to be held in April. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

NEW STORE OPENS

The new Dail furniture store at the corner of Broadway and Olive will hold its formal opening Saturday with appropriate ceremonies.

DATES CLAIMED

February 24—Fashion show for Juniors given by the Forward Club at 2:00 p. m.
March 10—Canasta party, by Golden Circle, Friendship Hall.
March 11—Dessert card party Community Center, 7:30 p. m. by Theta Omicron.
March 14—Membership meeting Chamber of Commerce, Community Center, 8 p. m.
March 17—Card Party and Refreshments, Monterey Heights School, benefit P.T.A.
March 19—Ham dinner by parish of St. John of the Cross in school auditorium, 12:30 to 5 p. m.
March 24—Forward Club Juniors all day rummage sale, 3107 National avenue.
March 24—Concert by Congregational choir, Friendship Hall.

Hi, Neighbor

by Mae Rex Graham

A. F. (Tony) to his many friends and that means about all the Grovers) Sonka has had a nice problem dumped in his lap. This week he received an anonymous letter containing a five dollar bill. The writer said he picked it up in the Sonka Store 15 years ago and it had been lost by a fat man about 60 years of age. Now all you 75 year old Grovers have to do is prove you were in Sonka's Store 15 years ago and were fat and it will be up to Tony to give each one of you a Fin.

Speaking of problems, a young matron told me recently that she just couldn't keep good shoes on Corkey. Well, now, doesn't she know all she and the rest of the worried mamas have to do is take those worn out shoes to Dr. Rella at Rella's Shoe Store on Broadway. What he can't do to down-at-the-heel or sole shoes! Sure made mine look and feel good too! Good looking! Mama Rella has some dandy shoes for the kiddies out in the front store; also Keds for the ladies and Keds for the men. Go in and see them (the Rellas, I mean) some time. They're nice folks!

Everyone knows John Hill, the watch fixer-upper on Main street. The other day a lady took her little boy into Hill's Jewelry Store with her. "What's that black thing the man has stuck in his eye?" said Buster. "That's a magnifying glass so he can see the little parts in the watch." "Gee, mom, you wouldn't need one of them things. The way you can see dirt on my neck and ears."

Burt Snyder, over in the Radio Shop in the Grove Theatre, sure has got himself all puffed up over his new degree he got in the Television School last week—E.T.V.I. (Expert Tele Vision Installer.) Heard tell he installed one for Tony last week, and Tony just couldn't believe his eyes, the way the pictures came in so clear.

Ever want to get some place fast and no way to get there? Well, next time just call the Grove Taxi (H-6-3893) and he'll take all five of you for the price of 1.

Ladies of the Grove—How about starting a Hi, Neighbor campaign all of our own. That means a good neighbor, howdy stranger sort of program. Its been done other places and we could make it so popular the men might want to join in. And speaking of strangers—one of our own newcomers, Barbara Kizer wants to help keep you ladies lovely so she's opening Barbara's Beauty Salon, 7882 Broadway, on Saturday, 1 to 8 p. m. Barbara says no work that day. She'll serve you dainty refreshments and present you with a useful gift. Let's show Barbara what a real welcome to the Grove can be.

Then while your down that way, my boss would be tickled pink if you'd stop in the Review office and tell him you like his boosting for Lemon Grove and want to renew your subscription to the only newspaper on earth that gives a hang for Lemon Grove.

See you next week.

HAND HURT IN WRINGER

Mrs. L. D. Underwood, 7648 Lansing Dr., suffered a most painful accident last week while doing her laundry. Her right hand was caught in the wringer going entirely through. In trying to release the trip on the wringer the hand went back through the rollers. Forty stitches were required to sew up the wounds.

WELCOME to New Readers

Mrs. John Wick.
F. L. Allen.
Carl David.

Public Meeting of CofC March 14

President Dorman announces a membership meeting of the Lemon Grove Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday, March 14, at 8 p. m., in the Community Center Building on School Lane. All businessmen and residents of the Lemon Grove area are invited to attend the free showing of a one-hour narrative and pictorial presentation, "A Story of San Diego." A crowd of more than 700 persons saw the premier of the show at the San Diego Chamber's annual meeting in January. Following the program, the Business Women's League will serve refreshments.

At the request of the Board of Directors, E. R. Offenbecher, traffic engineer of the San Diego County Road Department, met with the Chamber's Streets Committee on Wednesday morning at the Homeland Justice Courtroom. Various local road problems were discussed, with particular emphasis on a safety program. Mr. Offenbecher stated that parking survey of the local business district will be completed soon.

The Chamber welcomes the newest addition to the business life of Lemon Grove in the opening of the Dail Furniture Store. Mr. Dail has just completed one of the most modern furniture stores in San Diego County and will offer to the public some innovations in progressive merchandising. The Chamber will join in the welcoming of Mr. Dail in his new enterprise at the grand opening on Saturday.

The Chamber urges all persons who are not registered to do so immediately in order to qualify to vote at the primary election in June. To be eligible to vote a person must be registered on or before April 13. The Chamber to assist the citizens of this community, has secured the appointment of a deputy registrar to take registrations at the Homeland Justice Courtroom on each Wednesday, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Sheet Metal Shop Has a Birthday

The Lemon Grove Sheet Metal Company, 3565 Imperial, observed its second anniversary last Thursday.

The observance of the event was the cutting of birthday cake and serving soda pop to the employees and all who dropped in to congratulate the Baxters on their anniversary.

Forrest Baxter reports a very successful two years and says they hope to grow with Lemon Grove.

INSTALLS OFFICERS

Mrs. Lorna Hatten, Chief Grayback for Harrison Canyon Courtettes, Sage Hen No. 209, installed the officers of Brawley Ankle Deep Courtettes at a most impressive ceremony Saturday evening. Accompanying Mrs. Hatten from Lemon Grove were Mesdames A. C. Henderson, Harold Jensen, Wm. Gaines and Dorothy Jackson. Nine other members of Harrison Canyon were also present. Mrs. Hatten is also president of the local V.F.W. Auxiliary.

Building Permits

Severin Const. Co., residence Hoffman St., 1010 sq. ft., \$5665.
N. A. Dreyer, residence, Main St., 1609 sq. ft., \$7256.
Cecil L. Bentley, double residence, Edgerton, 1547 sq. ft., \$9100.
Mr. and Mrs. D. P. White, residence, 3385 Imperial, 1554 sq. ft., \$8450.
F. R. Boynton, unit addition to residence, 3675 King, 130 sq. ft., \$1515.
S. H. Thompson, residence, 7847 Nichols, 48 sq. ft., \$400.
J. A. Holstrom, residence, Darryl St., 1120 sq. ft., \$6180.
W. J. Pinson, residence, Crane Ave., 650 sq. ft., \$3960.
H. Griffin, 4 residences, Noble St., 730 sq. ft. each, \$5150 each.
John Ferguson, residence, 1541 Taft, 800 sq. ft., \$5000.
Earl Greider, residence, 1540 Bakerfield, 800 sq. ft., \$5000.
Ive O. Overmon, residence, Costello Ave., 660 sq. ft., \$4000.

Mulkey and Monell on Fire District Board

Rev. J. Morris Mulkey and Harry Monell have been appointed commissioners of the Lemon Grove Fire Protection District by the San Diego County Board of Supervisors.

Clan Mason, chairman of the commission, resigned, due to pressure of personal business. He is in charge of the new store and it takes him away from Lemon Grove a large share of the time, hence he thought it best that he relinquish his position in the commission.

Virgil E. Dues, 1732 Eaglewood, likewise resigned due to pressure of personal business. Mulkey and Monell were recommended to the Board of Supervisors by V. J. Dorman, president of the Lemon Grove Chamber of Commerce.

Rev. Mulkey is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lemon Grove and is a public spirited citizen. He is very popular among the people of the community and recently headed the successful Mass X-Ray Chest Survey here.

Harry Monell operates a market at 1805 Englewood drive and is active in both the Chamber of Commerce and the Monterey Heights Civic Organization.

Both men are vitally interested in adequate fire protection for Lemon Grove.

Masons Buy Feed Store at Ramona

M. W. Mason and his son Chan, owners and operators of Mason Feed & Supply, 8280 Imperial avenue, have purchased the Palomar Feed Store at Ramona. It will be operated under the name of Mason Feed & Supply, in conjunction with the Lemon Grove store.

Chan will devote his time between the Lemon Grove and Ramona stores.

LIONS TO HEAR HANNA

Jack Hanna, San Diego County Republican chairman, will speak on "California, the Had-It State," at the dinner meeting of the Lion's Club next Thursday evening at Friendship Hall.

Mrs. Larry Hunter and son Charles of Hunter's Nursery and Mac and Carmen MacQueen of the Avalon Cafe went deep sea fishing Wednesday. Mrs. Hunter carried off the prize with the biggest catch.

LADIES AID TO MEET

The Ladies Aid of Congregational Church will meet on Friday of next week at luncheon in Friendship Hall.

Speaker at Kiwanis Club Fires Verbal Blast at Welfare State

Rear Arm. Leslie E. Gehres, USN, retired, blasted the welfare State at Kiwanis Club Monday noon when he gave a talk on "The Threat of Socialism to Our Free Enterprise System."

Mentioning the Four Freedoms he stated that we cannot guarantee freedom from fear any more than we can guarantee freedom from want, that if a man is free from coercion, then he is really free and all these other freedoms naturally follow.

The people who founded this country and wrote our constitution understood these things, Adm. Gehres said, adding that they were not dreamers, but were practical men.

Property rights are basic rights without which human rights cannot exist, he pointed out, in noting that there are people in the United States today who are told human rights opposed to property rights.

The executive branch of our government was set up to enforce the laws, not make them, he said. "I feel that this country is in

First Meeting in Special Series

The first of the "Know Your Schools" programs will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the Lemon Grove school cafeteria. Mrs. S. K. Solleder, chairman for the Parent Study group, announces that this first of a series of five meetings will be of great interest not only to parents with children in primary grades but also to the general public. The scope of all meetings is district wide and it is hoped that all interested in the future of education in Lemon Grove will attend as many of these panels as possible.

Primary reading will be presented and discussed by Mrs. Helen Thompson and Mrs. Nancy Tuthill. Manuscript writing and cursive writing, second on the agenda, will be presented by Mrs. Ovella Mason, and Mrs. Evelyn Lauritzen will discuss the Use of Numbers in the Primary Level.

A discussion period, featuring questions from the audience, will follow each presentation. This is the opportunity for the public to discover the new phases of the curriculum and the advantages which they produce.

Vets Appreciate Support at Dinners

Members of Post 2082, V.F.W., and the Ladies Auxiliary are very grateful for the fine patronage given the Turkey dinner served on February 12. Over 250 dinners were served and well liked they were, for the food was plentiful and delicious. The Vets and their ladies have established a reputation that should keep them busy when they serve again.

A special meeting will be held Tuesday evening to set the date for another dinner in March. Mrs. Joe Young and her Camp Fire Girls will be there to put on a program. Refreshments will be served.

GOLDEN CIRCLE MEETING

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Ahrensberg, 1941 Washington, received the Golden Circle of Congregational Church at their home Tuesday evening at a buffet dinner. Plans were made to hold a Canasta party in Friendship Hall on March 10 at 7:30 p. m., the proceeds to be used for landscaping the church yard.

POW-WOW GIFT

Pow-wow, Inc. has purchased fixtures and drapes which have been installed in Community Center, adding greatly to the hominess and general appearance of the rooms. The gesture is greatly appreciated.

FREE MOVIE PASSES

Read the want ads in the Review. If you find your name there come to the Review office, 7812 Broadway, and you will be given two free passes to the Grove Theatre.

Candidate



Miss Fay Duncan, who today announced her candidacy for the Republican Congressional nomination for the 23rd California District.

Confirm Big Class at Catholic Church

A class of 80 adults and children were confirmed last Sunday afternoon at St. John of the Cross Catholic Church.

The solemn and impressive ceremony was conducted by the Most Rev. Bishop Buddy of San Diego Diocese. Assisting in the ritual was the pastor, the Rev. John McDonagh and the assistant pastor, the Rev. Paul Zemanik. Also in attendance in the rites were Rt. Rev. John Cotter, D.D., the Rt. Rev. Msgr. W. J. Drummy, Rt. Rev. Msgr. Francis Ott, Rev. Edward Hannon, Rev. Joseph Hill, Rev. Michael O'Connor, Rev. James McGinley, Rev. Richard Davies and Rev. Fr. Burt, O.F.A.

All of the assisting clergy were guests of Father McDonagh at a dinner following the ceremony.

Valentine Supper Huge Success

The Valentine party given by the choir of Congregational Church in Friendship Hall last week was one of the outstanding events of the season. About 150 persons were in attendance and to say they just had a good time would be putting it mildly. The Toomire orchestra provided music for dancing.

This party was the first in a series of events to be given to raise money for a new organ. On March 24, the choir for the second morning worship will give a concert in Friendship Hall.

CUB SCOUT PARTY

Cub Scout, Pack 8, met last Friday at Community Center. The entertainment of magic tricks by Andy Smith of La Mesa was enjoyed by a large gathering of Cubs with their parents. The fathers cut and served the cakes which the mothers had brought. Photography will be the theme for next month.

News of Business Women's League

Meeting at luncheon at Friendship Hall last Thursday, members of the Business Women's League greeted seven guests: Mrs. Clyde Kizer of Barbara's Beauty Shop; Mrs. Ray Snyder of Cresta Loma Sanitarium; Mrs. Robert Gallandt of Gallandt's Radio and Television; Mrs. Arthur Boese, of Lemon Grove Variety; Mrs. Kenneth Vaughn, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce; Mrs. W. H. Carpenter, news reporter; and Mrs. A. Leonessa of Palm Springs.

The secretary was instructed to cooperate with the Lions in trying to get traffic signals on Broadway by writing to highway authorities.

Mrs. George Lenox reported that a two-hour program is being prepared for the March of Dimes Benefit for March 4. Camp Fire Girls are selling tickets and Girl Scouts will assist in ushering. Girl Scouts will sell candy at the affair to earn their donation to the project. Posters made by the Monterey Heights fifth and sixth grades, have been placed in store windows.

A nominating committee will be named at the next meeting to select candidates for the annual election of officers.

Administrative Building for School District

Preliminary plans are being made for the construction of a Lemon Grove School District Administrative Building as part of the overall building program now being planned. The Lemon Grove School Board is considering the southwest corner of Golden avenue and School Lane as a possible building site. Approximately 3000 square feet may be given for District administrative offices based on pupil population in this district. This would be a modern, attractive building that would be an asset to the developing business district and make the school business offices more accessible to the community as well as being close to the bank, postoffice, county library and other places of business.

September 1951 is the completion date toward which the total building program is being directed, according to the School Board, with the funds provided at the recent school bond election. Three of the elementary schools, Golden Avenue, Monterey Heights and Vista La Mesa, will include kindergarten through 8th grades, with 6th and 8th grades at the Lemon Grove Intermediate School which will operate under a departmentalized program. A new school will be built in the vicinity of San Miguel and Massachusetts streets and will include kindergarten through 5th grades.

It is expected that none of the construction will be completed for use next September, however work will progress as rapidly as possible and completion of the projects is expected for September 1951. Superintendent Byron L. Netley predicts double session for all grades through the 6th for the next school year.

Monterey Heights PTA Benefit Party

As a benefit for Monterey Heights School, the P.T.A. will sponsor a dessert card party at the schoolhouse on Friday evening, March 17 at 7:30 at which time dessert will be served. Immediately following bridge, pinocle, canasta and bingo will be played with three prizes for each division. Each lady attending will be presented a corsage. After the games there will be a Chinese auction of homemade cakes.

Mrs. Wayne A. Hedge, H-6-3776 ways and means chairman, requests that reservations be made early. Assisting will be Mrs. Frank Greenlee, H-6-6155, reservations and prizes; Mrs. E. J. Fitzgerald, card tables and corsages; Mrs. Louis Reed, refreshments.

Mrs. Netley Given Honor by PTA

For outstanding community service through her work in P.T.A., Mrs. Byron Netley was presented a life membership in the Parent-Teacher Congress at the meeting of the Lemon Grove P.T.A. last Thursday evening. Mrs. Paul Harvey, who received the same honor last year, made the presentation.

After a short business meeting conducted by Mrs. Gilbert Durham, Mrs. Wallie Steinhoff presented a most interesting Founders Day Program. Bobbie and John McClure played accordion duets and Jerry Milner a solo on the Hawaiian guitar.

A playlet, "P.T.A. Cornerstone," was given by Mesdames H. Holmquist, pianist, E. A. McGuire, W. C. Skarda, S. K. Solleder, J. Blaine, R. C. Taylor and L. Stumbaugh.

Corsages were presented to past presidents Walter Denlinger, A. W. Traganza, T. D. Pierce, F. M. Crosby, Walter Huber, George Dickerhoff, Hal Crow and Byron Netley. Mrs. R. A. Bond received a corsage as the oldest grandmother present and for being the busiest mother, Mrs. Joseph Lieras, who has 17 children.

The third grade mothers served refreshments. Use Review Want ads.

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For many years there has been agitation to change, through Constitutional amendment, our method of electing presidents, by abolishing the electoral college system as it is now constituted and replacing it with a system based on the popular vote. It now looks as if this proposal has an excellent chance of becoming law.

If it does, it will revolutionize the established pattern of political campaigning.

Under the existing system, the candidate who gains a majority in a state gets the entire vote of the state in the electoral college. It doesn't make any difference how bare the majority may be. He may carry a state by but a single popular vote - yet he would get the whole electoral vote, and that is the vote that counts.

The constitutional amendment which is now pending provides that each candidate's electoral vote shall be proportionate to his popular vote. In other words if a man received 51 percent of a state's popular vote he would get that percentage of the state's electoral votes instead of none.

The influence this would have on campaign politics is obvious. For instance, the Republicans never spend much money or exert much effort in the Solid South. They know that their chance of gaining a majority in any of those states is but one step removed from impossible. However, under the proposed new system, it would behoove the GOP to do its utmost in, say, Tennessee no less than in Ohio. Every Republican vote, even though the total was still modest would help their candidate toward the White House.

By the same token, Democrats would no longer just go through motions of campaigning in solidly Republican states such as Vermont. They'd be out to get the largest proportion of the vote possible.

President Truman has said he doubts if the proposed change can be effected in time to influence the 1952 campaign. But as Jay Hayden points out in one of his columns, "All constitutional amendments recently adopted have run the gamut of state ratification in less time than would be available to complete enactment of the present proposal in 1952." The amendment repealing prohibition became law in 10 months after it was submitted to the states. The amendment legalizing woman's suffrage was approved in 14 months.

In any event, it promises to cause important and far-reaching changes in the partisan political set-up as it now exists.

Sparks

FROM THE NEWS CIRCUIT
JAMES DORAIS

Four hundred years ago, Spain toyed with the idea of joining the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans through the Isthmus of Panama. To avoid the long, dangerous voyage around the Horn.

The prospect of such a canal being built prompted two different treaties between the United States and Britain—the earlier of which was negotiated in 1850. Eventually, after the famous false start by the French, the Panama Canal was completed by this country in 1914.

Today, the Panama Canal is still in the news, for a variety of reasons. There is a controversy in Congress over the adoption of the President's proposals for changes in the Canal's administration. The changes were recommended by the Hoover Commission, although transfer of administration from the Secretary of the Army to the Department of Commerce—the Commission's chief recommendation—was ignored in the President's legislative request.

Another dispute centers over the proposal made, as a result of a Congressional study, to change the canal from a high-level lock system to a sea level waterway. Proponents of the change argue that a low-level canal would speed traffic and improve national defense; opponents contend that the improvements wouldn't be worth the estimated cost of two and a half billion dollars.

Still another controversy revolves around the Canal Admin-

BROADWAY AND MAIN STREET

Hope Diamond—Not a Jinx Gem But a Marble Carrying a Hex

By BILLY ROSE

The members of the gang squatted in a small circle on a patch of green a block away from the subway station at 242nd street. Their eyes were in fixed focus on a shiny object at their feet—the Hope Diamond. . . . Let me end the suspense here and now by announcing that the gang was made up of boys who had gotten together to decide the marble championship of the Upper Bronx, and that the shiny object at their feet was not the unlucky stone of great price you've been reading about for years, but a legendary agate known to small fry from the Triborough Bridge to Spuyten Duyvil as the Hope Diamond shooter.

Now, a shooter, or "real," as the aficionados call it, looks a lot like an ordinary marble, but any kid who knows a heist shot from a knuckle-down can tell you the difference. The shooter is heavier, truer, more cunningly fashioned than the ordinary marble, and, even more important, there exists between it and the thumb and forefinger of its owner a spiritual affinity which makes it more precious to him than all the other marbles he owns. When a player loses in a "for-keeps" game, he pays off with common, earth-bound miggles—he would no more think of parting with his shooter than a good family man would with his life insurance.



Billy Rose

NOW, IT FIGURES that by this time you're bustin' to know something about the owner of the Hope Diamond shooter, and how the fabled marble happened to wind up at the feet of a bunch of kids on the day of the big tournament. Well, for you to get the complete picture, it is necessary for me to sketch in some of the background of the shooter—a story which, I might add, in many respects, parallels the history of its super-jinxed namesake.

As the ten-everything set recalls it, the Hope Diamond was first brought to the Bronx by a player who originally hailed from Chesham, Rhode Island. After a series of backyard triumphs, he won the right to participate in a semi-final, but the morning of the contest one of the ball-bearings in his skates got stuck and, in the header which followed, his shooting finger was so badly bruised that he had to withdraw.

Then, for a while, the malevolent marble was owned by Ivo Soudergard, but shortly after he acquired it, the boy developed a leg leg and was forever barred by his doctor from kneeling on the damp earth.

Finally, Whitley Wiscocki, reputed to have the most skillful thumb north of the Harlem river, latched on to the shooter, but two days before the big tournament, the jinx caught up with him and he broke a couple of ribs falling off the back of an ice truck.

The easiest thing, of course, would have been to throw away the hex-heavy shooter but, as you know, the ways of men and urehins under the spell of superstition are hard to explain. Harry Winston's Hope Diamond, too, is supposed to carry

stration's method of computing toll charges. Unless postponed, a toll increase of 11 percent, is slated to go into effect April 1. Canal revenues for 1949 were officially reported at only \$534,375, but shippers claim that if proper accounting methods used, the actual profit would appear as more than \$9,000,000. According to the shipping industry, the present toll charged an American ship passing through the Canal equals a month's wages for the crew.

American ship owners aren't happy over the fact that ships flying the flag of the adjoining Republic of Panama use the Canal toll-free. That point touches on a related controversy over the amazing Post-war growth of the Panamanian merchant fleet. From about 300,000 tons, the tiny Nation's shipping has increased to a current figure of nearly 3,000,000 tons.

Nearly half the ships of Panamanian registry are American owned. An international labor boycott of Panamanian ships has been threatened on the grounds that crew members receive starvation wages. Panama, however, claims that wage rates are only 25 percent lower than on American or Canadian vessels, and higher than wages on Norwegian, British, French, Dutch and Italian ships.

These controversies, and the way they are finally resolved, have a real bearing on California's economy. So important was the Canal's construction to California that two separate celebrations were held the year after its completion—the Panama-California Exposition in San Diego and the Panama-Pacific Exposition in San Francisco. The Canal is just as important to California today.

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a curse with it, but as you may have noticed, Harry hasn't thrown it away either.

AND SO, five minutes before the contest, Charlie Hersch, Whitley's closest friend, dropped the Hope Diamond shooter in front of the contestants with the dire words, "Wiscocki says anybody wants it kin have it, only he oughta make sure his family kin afford the doctor bills."

Eleven of the players regarded it with awe and distrust, but the twelfth—a dark horse from the swanky Riverdale section—was not impressed. He picked it up, tried a test shot, and said, "If nobody wants the Diamond, I'll use it."

"Ya be lucky if ya don't bust a leg," said Hymie Michernick.

Well, for most of the contest it looked as if the rich kid was a cinch to win. Not only did the Diamond connect with everything it went after, but it seemed to hex the other shooters that attempted to hit it. Inspired and made confident by its performance, the kid from Riverdale sighted long and carefully, considered the topography of the ground and, when the situation called for extreme measures, even shot from the stomach position.

However, as the match entered the tenth and final round, a station wagon pulled up and a hefty Swede of a nursemaid got out.

"Ja-ackie," she shouted. "Dinner's almost ready and look at your clothes. You're a sight!"

"Wait a minute," said the kid, squinting at a marble four feet away.

"Albert!" yelled the nursemaid. A chauffeur with big shoulders got out and walked toward the circle. Jackie dropped the Hope Diamond in disgust, said "Aw, nuts!" and climbed into the station wagon.

And, as it drove away, the blood-shot eye of the blue shooter seemed to wink at the other players.

Hymie Michernick picked it up. "This is the last time it's going to put the squitch on anybody," he said, and threw it as far as he could.

Now, if the Hope Diamond had been an ordinary shooter, the story would end here. But, as I have gone to some pains to make clear, it was not. Propelled by the Michernick muscles, the little ball of fire sailed through the air for 50 feet, bounced off a tin can on the sidewalk, and was picked up an hour later by an intern on his way to the hospital.

"I know someone who'll get a real kick out of this," he said, handing the Hope Diamond shooter to one of the nurses. "Will you give this marble to the patient in room 218. Whitley Wiscocki—the little boy who broke his ribs."

The patient in room 218 was

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reprimanded for it? And will any be hereafter?"

Justice Jackson's inference is undoubtedly correct. No one of importance is ever liable to be censured for hiring a ghost writer to develop his pearls of wisdom.

But what a turnover there would be in public officials if the poor men were condemned to giving their own speeches. It might even be that a good portion of the current crop of officeholders in Washington would be left verbally naked for all the world to gaze on the stature of their mental equipment.

If such were the case, a Lincoln or a Jefferson, a William Jennings Bryan or a Churchill, most certainly would stand out like a muscled lifeguard at a grammar school beach party.

In retrospect, however, it would hardly be wise to do away with ghost writers. Washington has enough problems without adding a crisis in unemployment.

Words of Wisdom

Governor Earl Warren, Sacto. "Government is no place for magicians. The need is for common honesty, independence . . . hard work and determination."

James Roosevelt, L. A. "Governor Warren's candidacy announcement is about as courageous as coming out strongly against man-eating sharks."

Congressman Carl Hinshaw Pasadena, on Fuchs spy revelation "The horse escaped the barn door through the keyhole."

Cary Grant, Hollywood film star, on autograph fans "I'm getting too old—they're chasing Monty Clift now."

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Talks and Walks With Mother Nature

BY TRIXIE TREGANZA

LONG-BILLED CURLEW

With the chill narrow-reaching mists of the early morning hanging about us, we stood watching the oncoming sun's light as it swiftly advanced, driving back and cutting off the long cold, gray shadow fingers cast by the Wasatch Peaks over the broad, flat, seemingly unending waste of marsh and slough of the Great Bear River overflows. We had come early to a place, where late the evening before we had roused a curlew, and as the first feeble rays of the early Spring sun slanted down upon us, slowly penetrating and dispersing the low mist, the neutral tones of marsh grass and alkali flat gave forth the gray brown form of a lone sentinel on duty—a male Curlew. He was standing motionless, with neck slightly thrust forward, head and bill inclined as if in deep thought, or intently listening. In reality he was watching our slow approach on the south bank of the overflow. When within about 75 yards of him, he took two or three stealthy steps forward, then turning his back upon us, he again assumed that pose of deep thought, yet with his head so poised that our every movement could be seen.

Starting down an old fence, we stopped at a point that marks the joining of alkali flat and grass, bordering the flow. Hardly had we paused when the bird on the North bank turned, this time facing us and making two or three jerky teetering bows, the head remaining down with the last bow, in intent watching. With a suddenness not warranted by any of his previous actions, the head and neck were jerked erect, the whole body becoming momentarily rigid with dignity, followed by three or four measured strides. Then with a shrill startled cry, he was into the air and off, slowly fading into the fog. Knowing he would return we waited and watched following by his warning cries, the circle he was making. With wings set like inclined planes born earthward by the dank atmosphere, he swiftly glided from the mist, and skimming the ground with the few lightly forced steps of momentum, came to rest within a few feet of his starting place, and as always, with that typical alighting of vertically extending wings and their deliberate folding.

A moment or two later, and some 25 feet distant, we discovered a female on a nest; but so nearly did she resemble the dry, brown, sprangling marsh grass as she sat flattened on the ground, with head and bill extended on a level with her body that had it not been for the bead of her eye, she might easily have been mistaken for an old sun-bleached cow chip. With the camera in one hand, crawling very slowly and carefully, the approach to the nest began, from a point almost directly in front. When at six feet, fear that another inch might be the signal for her departure, I very slowly rose to a standing posture, making three exposures. Up to this time my unflinching gaze into the eyes of the bird had apparently transfixed her to the nest. Again with fixed gaze, and slowly sinking to my knees, a further advance began, this time leaving the camera behind. Slowly, very slowly with every nerve at its highest pitch and my body aching with the tension, that last short, but seemingly interminable distance was covered. With the first gentle stroke she seemed to crouch flatter, then raised her head slightly. Not daring to move my hand from her head, I moved carefully to one side, speaking carefully in a low tone. To my husband who had been slowly approaching to where the camera had been left. The photo was the result.

Much emboldened with the success I moved to a position directly over the bird, gently pushing my hand under the body to see what the nest might contain, and after feeling the four warm eggs, withdrew my hand. Again stroking the head and body, and finally lifting her sufficiently from the nest so that the eggs could be seen, she again settled down upon them. During all this time, we had been carrying on in low tones, a conversation regarding things assinine, films, etc. After a little more conversation, the bird was lifted clear of the nest and placed to one side where she stood for a moment looking about. Stalking off some six or eight very dignified paces, she suddenly flung herself to the ground crying and flopping as with broken wings and legs, turning her head from side to side, thus moving away some 15 feet or more. Then springing to her feet she flung herself into the air with a scream to join her mate, who had risen with her first warning cry.

This is the first and only Curlew we have ever been able to approach in this manner. Whether Dame Fate led us, on that morning, to a certain Curlew possessed of a more trusting nature than is generally given to this wary species; whether my slow deliberate approach, and constant gaze; or whether that maternal instinct to cling to that which so shortly would make her the mother of four tiny nestlings, we do not know. If the latter, the mother-love must have been strongly developed in this one individual, for the eggs proved to be perfectly fresh.

The Long-billed Curlew or Sickle-Bill is about crown size, barring the bill. Generally brown, building its nest, a mere depression, scratched on the bare ground. Its food is chiefly sandfleas, crustacea from the fields. Its eggs, usually four, are olive, accous brown, potted and blotched with various markings and the best time to find the bird eggs is usually the first of May.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

No. 3401

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 3rd day of March, 1950 at the hour of ten fifteen o'clock A. M., at the South front center door of the County Court House, in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, the SOUTHERN TITLE & TRUST COMPANY, a corporation, as Trustee under the Deed of Trust executed by:

Robert L. Silva and Elaine Silva, husband and wife.

Recorded March 31, 1949 in Book 3157 page 220 of Official Records. In the office of the Recorder of San Diego County, California, by reason of default in the payment of the obligations secured thereby and in the performance of the covenants contained therein, including the breach or default, a notice of which was recorded November 2, 1949 in Book 3373 Page 176 of Official Records in the office of said County Recorder, to the highest bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States the interest conveyed to said Trustee by said Deed of Trust in and to the property therein described, situated in the County of San Diego, State of California, described as follows:

Lot 10, in Block 9 of Monterey Heights, according to the Map thereof No. 1966, filed in the office of the Recorder of said San Diego County, December 6, 1926.

Said sale will be made, without warranty as to title or encumbrances, for the purpose of paying the obligations secured by said deed of trust, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee, sums, if any, expended under the terms thereof, interest thereon and \$939.70 in unpaid principal of the note secured thereby, with interest thereon from June 30, 1949 at the rate of six per cent per annum.

About People You Know

Doris Chappelle
Phone H6-8115

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McAllister and family were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beyer, 2921 Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Issett and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Haaf attended a concert given by the Pairs' Infantry Chorus at Oceanside, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Annis and baby of Brawley, were weekend house guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. B. Annis, 7269 Waite.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Page and son Richard, 4156 Blackton Dr. Vista La Mesa, spent Sunday with Mrs. Page's parents in Jacumba.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reineke of El Paso, Texas, are visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Reineke, Bonita St.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis, of Main St., entertained at cards Saturday evening for Messrs. and Mesdames John Hill, Al Huebsch and Lem Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Castiglia, 7583 Pacific Ave., had as guests Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. William Cox, formerly of Washington St., now residing in Oceanside.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bowman, 1590 Skyline Dr., enjoyed a fishing trip and a weiner roast at Rosa Rita Beach Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Easley and party.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Warner Buena Vista St., entertained at a dinner party Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Paul Duley, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Stone and Mrs. J. E. Montague.

Mesdames Ted Haaf, R. E. Issett, Richard Kobrich and Wm. Massey and Miss Marie Massey attended a Reciprocity Tea at East San Diego Woman's Club on Wednesday.

Mrs. Ted Haaf is a guest today (Thursday) at a tea given at the Vista Woman's Club honoring Mrs. Jay T. Cooper, president of the California Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Antonetti, 7049 Central, entertained at a dinner party and Canasta Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lowney, Paul Moran, Colleen Lowney and Carol Lee Antonetti.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Vestal, 1655 Skyline drive, are hosts this week to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bashor and granddaughter, Virginia Sharpe of San Fernando. Mr. Bashor is a calendar manufacturer.

Dr. and Mrs. Don Wilder, 8024 Palm, had Mrs. Wilder's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turner of Compton, as weekend guests. Mrs. Wilder's niece, Millie Jo Turner, is spending the week here.

It has been found that the Army really has a heart for it issued sailing orders to Mrs. W. W. Plourd, and sons, Terry and Denny, 3281 Buena Vista, ahead of schedule so that they could sail with Major W. W. Plourd for Japan on Monday from San Francisco.

Honoring Helen K. Hill of Los Angeles, several boys and girls gave a weiner roast at Collier Park Saturday evening. Those attending were Frances Whiting, Marlene Apple, Peggy Thomas, Florence Porter, Sue Holahan, Charlotte Coshaw, Glenna McCallister, Donna Shafer, Helen Whiting, Gale Smith, Al Meyer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Schnell Mrs. Elizabeth Parsons, Tom Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Haaf attended a dinner meeting of San Diego County Development Federation at Palm City Tuesday evening.

Ken Brunting, Bob Breau, Richard Vick, Richard Conde, Jack Hadley, Carl Jordan, Jay Elston, Judson Bowers, and chaperons Mesdames Howard Apple, Gus Whiting and Genevieve Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Irvin, 3657 Harris St., entertained at dinner Sunday for A. R. Martin and Mrs. Orta Hutchins both of Sanford, Colo. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart Mrs. Mary Irvin of San Diego Mr. and Mrs. Don Miles and daughter Louise.

The Lemonette Bridge Club was received Tuesday by Mrs. Al Huebsch, 3007 Buena Vista Ave. Present were Mesdames Paul Duley, Lee Butterfield, Robert Castiglia, Peter J. Chappelle, Arthur Chappelle, H. A. Anderson, Alex Antonetti and Louis Otten.

Mrs. Elizabeth Coleman, of Los Angeles and Mrs. Mary Reeves of Oakland were guests over Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. George, Dale street, Spring Valley. They also visited a short time with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Graham at the Review office on Monday.

The Theta Omicron Chapter Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, is having a public dessert card party on Saturday evening, 7:30 p. m. March 11, at Community Center. Proceeds will be used for welfare. For Reservations Call Mrs. Edward Beistline, H6-9745, or Mrs. Charles Whitlock, H6-9314.

The Springhouse Garden Club meets at Collier Park each Tuesday at 1:30 and 7:30 p. m. Margaret Tipton Wheatley is the instructor and gives counselling on individual garden problems. Current subjects are pest control and proper sprays to be used. Husbands are welcome at the evening session. There will be a workshop and business meeting next Thursday at 10:30 a. m. Bring a sack lunch. Group will go from there to the garden at the former residence of Adm. Stanley, Mariposa Dr., La Mesa.

Scout Leaders Special Meeting

A special meeting of interest to all adult Scouts of the Lemon Grove Area has been called for Friday at 12:30 in the Community Center building. Mrs. Mary Guy of Scout house will be present, also Mrs. Jean Seegitz, chairman of District 111.

Lemon Grove Neighborhood Club met for an all day meeting February 17 at the Community Center building. A motion picture of last year's day camp was shown and plans for this year's camp were discussed. A pot luck luncheon was served at noon and a general business meeting was held in the afternoon. Mrs. L. O. Reames was in charge of the games and Mrs. E. F. Roberts, food, and Mrs. Arnold Smith the entertainment. The tables were decorated with patriotic theme in honor of Washington's birthday and the girls of Mrs. Harvey Hodapp's Troop No. 374, made the hatched napkin holders.

The club has presented a complete service for 75, including dishes, silver, 35 sugar and creamers, 35 salt and peppers. The club has presented a com. and two 49-cup coffee makers to Community Center.

District 111 of Girl Scouts will hold an all day meeting at the



"MISS BLUE CROSS—BLUE SHIELD." Betty Ann Morgan, pretty granddaughter of H. O. Davis, director of San Diego's 1915 exposition, smiles the smile of health at the emblems of the two organizations now offering health and accident protection for individuals and their families. The medical hospital care program, which is sponsored by the San Diego County Medical Society and the San Diego County hospitals, provides for free choice of doctor and hospital in case of illness or accident.

Community Center Building in La Mesa on Thursday, March 9 Workshop will be from 10 to 11:30 a. m. Lunch 11:30 to 12:30. Dorothy Geisler will talk on the National Convention at Milwaukee, in the afternoon. Those wishing transportation may meet at the Lemon Grove Center at 9:45. Bring a sack lunch and the La Mesa Scouts will furnish coffee. A baby sitter will be provided.

Girls of Troop No. 180, Mrs. E. C. Kranch, leader, took a nature hike on Tuesday. The girls are starting on their school bags for overseas and have changed their meeting place and time to Wednesday at 10:45 in the Lemon Grove Community Center building.

The Scouts in the Lemon Grove area have sold over 5000 cookies so far in the campaign and by the time it closes hope to exceed the 8000 box mark. All leaders are requested to turn their money in to Mrs. H. Fisher, chairman, before March 3.

Brownies of Troop 361, Mrs. Guy Winton, leader, met at Mrs. J. A. Roberts home for a Valentine party Tuesday.

Brownies of Troop 375, Mrs. Gloria Palaski, leader, met at the home of Mrs. Mildred Nugent for a Valentine party given by the leader and co-leader. The girls made valentines for their mothers.

Brownies of Troop 307, with Mrs. Youel Linden in charge, made valentine boxes and filled them with candy for their mothers. Wednesday of last week Cynthia Reames and Rosemary

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Mondays, 7:30 p.m.—Legion of Mary meets in the rectory.
Tuesdays and Fridays, 7:30 p.m.—Information forums at the rectory.
Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m.—Novena devotions in the church.
Saturdays, 9 a.m.—Catechism for public school children, in the school.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Corner of Main and Church Sts.
Dan Apra, Pastor
Homeland 6-8758
Sunday, February 26
9:15—First worship service.
Sermon topic: "A Call to Lenten Loyalty."
9:15—Junior Church
9:40—Classes, nursery through fourth grade.
10:10—Classes, 5th grade through adult department.
11:00—Second morning service.
11:00—Primary Church service in Friendship Hall.
11:20—Classes, nursery through third grade.
7:00—High School Pilgrim Fellowship.
7:30-9:30—Senior High and College Age Pilgrim Service.

VISTA LA MESA CHRISTIAN CHURCH
University at Massachusetts
Russell Hensley, Minister
H 6-2117
9:30—Classes for all ages.
10:45—Morning Worship.
Sermon theme: "Solid Foundation."
5:30—Snack and Fellowship period.
6:00—Classes.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
Charles H. Betz, Minister
H 6-9632
9:30 a.m.—Saturday, Bible School.
Mrs. A. C. Jacobson, Supt.
Topic—"Thy Will Be Done."
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Main and Burnell
Office: Central and School Lane
Rev. J. Morris Mulkey, Pastor
H 6-0340
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
10:50 a.m.—Morning Worship.
6:30 p.m.—Training Union.
7:45—Evening Worship.
Next week, Monday through Friday, the Missionary Society will observe the Southern Baptist week of prayer with a program at the old church each day from 1:30 to 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Orr will be in charge.
On Wednesday evening the congregation will meet at a Fellowship dinner followed by a business meeting.
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W. LeRoy Elster, Pastor
Telephone Main 4-2690
Sunday, February 26
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
10:00 a. m.—Adult Bible class.
10:45 a.m.—Worship Service.
Sermon topic: "Satan: the tempter."
7:00 p.m.—Bible study and Prayer meeting at parsonage on Thursday.
Choir practice will be held at the parsonage, 6620 McArthur drive on Thursday eve at 7:00.
The Church Council meets at the parsonage Saturday at 3 p.m.
The Junior Choir will practice at the parsonage on Saturday at 2 p.m.
Guests are always welcome.

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11:00 a.m.—Church Services.
Wednesday evening service at 8.
The Golden Text of the Sunday Lesson—Sermon on "Christ Jesus" in all branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, is from Colossians: "As ye therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk ye in him: for in him dwelleth all the fullness of the Godhead bodily."

LA PRESA COMMUNITY CHURCH
Jamacha Road, Spring Valley
L. E. Knudsen, Pastor
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
10:45 a. m.—Morning Worship.
6:30 p. m.—Christian Endeavor
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship.

SPRING VALLEY FRIENDS COMMUNITY CHURCH
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SCHOOL NEWS

Brotherhood Week in Local Schools

During the week of George Washington's birthday, classes throughout the Lemon Grove School District observed Brotherhood Week. Many meaningful posters, short plays and films were presented.

The National Conference of Christians and Jews has listed as the purposes of this observance the following: To give to all an opportunity to reeducate ourselves as individuals to the basic ideals of respect for people and human rights; to dramatize the practical things which people can do to promote these ideals; to enlist the support of a larger number of American people in year-round activities to build brotherhood.

The schools of this community hope to further all these purposes and continue with a Brotherhood Year, rather than limiting such spirit to one week.

Upper Grades see Special Film

On Friday, approximately 400 students from the sixth, seventh, and eighth grades of the Lemon Grove, Monterey Heights, and Vista La Mesa Schools attended a special showing of the technical picture, "Christopher Columbus." John Van Gilse, owner of the theatre, permitted a special showing at a special rate for the school children, so that they would not miss this spectacular production which deals so closely with our national heritage.

Monterey Heights School

Pupils of Mrs. Kennedy's third grade class entertained their mothers with a lovely party on Valentine's Day. The main feature of the program was a one-act play, "The King's Valentine." The cast included the Queen, Martha Chambers; King, Charles Nottingham; Jill, Carol Rife; Jack, Gerald Monell, and Cook, Phillip Toomire.

Donna Bell was the "Valentine Girl" and told the story of how St. Valentine's Day originated. Alice Hoppard and Eva Blalock were the class hostesses.

Following the program, they served cookies and punch to the visitors. Mothers who attended the afternoon affair were Mesdames Kiesel, Merier, Linden, Fletcher, Hazen, Nottingham, Denlinger, Bell, Monell, Barry, Carter, Gullikson, Hoppard, Blalock, Hewitt, Toomire, Wheeler, Nichols, Ralston, Roesler and Seay.

The fifth grade has organized a Junior Audubon Club with officers Bob Whitmeyer, president; David Newell, vice-president; Frank Ferguson, treasurer;

That'll Hold It



College students attending a Red Cross first aid and water safety school practice applying an emergency newspaper splint for a break in the forearm. Students qualify as Red Cross instructors at the school.

and James Glazebrook, secretary. Mrs. Dorothy Babington is the club advisor.

Mrs. Holmes, fourth grade teacher, has been ill and unable to attend her classes. Her pupils and co-workers miss her during her absence from regular duties. Mrs. Stevens, of San Diego, and a former teacher at Lemon Grove, has been substituting for Mrs. Holmes this week.

As an award for fine service to the school and the entire community, the following members of the junior traffic patrol will attend the Grove Theatre as the guests of John Van Gilse Saturday afternoon: Ralph Kehrenberg, John Peoples, Robert Williams, David Arnott, David Lee, Lee Nevix, Stephen Batchelder, Gene Sowers, Joe Dickson, Tommy Shafer, John Carroll and Grady Redding.

Lemon Grove Junior High Sports

Play-offs in scrimmage ball were held last Thursday and Friday during the regular physical education classes. Coaches Davis Frailey, Egan and Goodall announced the following results in play:

Eighth grade winner was Captain Gary Haut with team members: Brian Herald, Donald Lindley, David Arnott, Monty Ostberg, Dale Brannon, Bob Fields, Bernie Svalstad, Lloyd Perkins, Fred Walter, Floyd Little, Richard Thibault, Douglas Schief, Dudley Roach, Dennis Bryan, Fred Toote and Tom McCabe.

Second place was taken by Captain Ahrensberg's team; third place, William Bame's team and fourth place, Howard Hawkin's team.

In seventh grade, first place went to Captain Jim Pratt, Karl Jordan, Peter Homan, Robert Breaux, Jerry Mulder, George Hoover, Roy Maxted, Tommy Taylor, Ken Stratton, Lester McIntosh, Robert Getz, Jerry Tucker, Paul Biegle, Roger Conlee, Bob Margetts and 'Red' Riley.

The girls of the junior high had play-offs in volleyball last week. In eighth grade, first place went to Captain Pat Weber and teammates: Ivajean Curtis, Betty Campbell, Catherine Bradshaw, Pat Reid and Marjorie Fick. Second place was taken by Captain Helen Maxon's team. Third place belongs to Captain Rosa Lee Seward's girls and fourth place was captured by Josephine Sotello and her team.

In the seventh grade volleyball contest, first place honors were won by Captain Norma Cradock, Joyce Dunford, Jean Dunford, Janet Archilles and Alice Lee. Barbara Clifton's team was in second place, Darleen Chamber's third place and fourth place was nailed down by Sally Thibault's team.

Vista La Mesa School

Kenneth McClure, Ronnie Kerna, Dee Ann Anderson, Beverly Lezama, Bobbie Shafer, Kathleen Johnson, Delores Lieras, and Avalie McAllister, all in the second grade, were transferred from Lemon Grove School.

The Wester family of Shirlene place has moved into their Vista La Mesa home, one of the 50 new

homes being built just west of the school. Phyllis, in the fifth grade, Billy in the third and Tommy in the second, have the distinction of being the first children from these new homes to enroll in our school.

The grand finale of the sixth grade Valentine party was the surprise plant made of green and red metallic paper, presented by Mrs. James Gerard, the sixth grade home mother. A triangular vase of hearts, filled with tiny candy hearts, was a special treat. As the boys and girls ate them, they attempted to create stories from the sentimental sayings printed on each piece of candy.

Mrs. Roberts' first grade, (afternoon) has been observing birthday anniversaries besides those of our illustrious presidents, for Wayne Bonchu, Marshall Waske, Sharon MacIver and Douglas Lurock. They brought cupcakes to school for Douglas's birthday, played games, and everyone had a good time. The class was sorry to lose Jacqueline Stewart, who has recently moved from the district. This leaves only five girls in the room. Dick Moe moved to Virginia, but a new boy, Tommy Wester, has replaced him. There are twenty-three boys, counting James Schiele, who has been absent for some time now because of mumps.

Health Campaign a Great Success

Fred C. Merriam, Blue Cross Blue Shield manager for San Diego County, today predicted success in attaining the goal of 10,000 new members during the current campaign of enrollment of individuals and their families. Heretofore membership in the surgical-hospital health plan are plans sponsored by the California Medical Association and supported by the San Diego County Medical Society has been limited to employed persons joining in groups.

"Throughout San Diego County we have had a marvelous response to the new plan," Merriam said. "We are proud of the immediate public acceptance because we know that the foresight being shown by the people today will pay dividends in the future. Should a serious illness or accident requiring prolonged hospitalization develop they will then fully appreciate the wisdom of the prepayment of care. Further, in time of need, members have free choice of physicians and hospital."

Headquarters are at 1621 Sixth avenue, San Diego, where complete information is available.

Speaker Blasts Welfare State

Continued from page 1 and tried outdo each other in making sales.

A man in San Quentin has security and is free from want, he said, but he has no freedom.

Socialism and the welfare state is one and the same thing, he said. What can we do about it, he inquired. And he answered his own question by saying that we should ask every candidate for office just where he stands on the welfare state. We should get behind the organization known as the "Constitutional Foundation," he said.

This organization was recently formed in San Diego for the purpose of getting the people and the government back to the Constitution. The organization is going to interrogate every candidate for office and put out literature showing just where the candidate stands on questions concerning the New Deal, Fair Deal and Welfare State, that the people may know just what they are voting for when they mark their ballot for any particular candidate.

Don Keller, San Diego County D. A., will be the speaker next Monday noon.

Scout Calendar

Sponsored by the Lions Club
Den 1—Mrs. L. O. Cederwell, den mother, H. 6-9354, meets Saturday 10 a. m., 2905 Buena Vista
Den 2—Mrs. Harry Griffin, den mother, H. 6-5368, meets Thursday 3:30 p. m., 8305 Alton Dr.
Den 3—Mrs. R. H. Milner, den mother, H. 6-3076, meets Saturday 10 a. m., 8034 Imperial.
Den 4—Mrs. N. Bemis, den mother, H. 6-1348, meets Saturday, 10 a. m., 1357 Bakersfield.
Den 7—Mrs. John Hale, den mother, H. 6-6735, meets Thursday, 6:30 to 8 p. m., 7510 Barton.
Den 8—Mrs. D. M. Rinker, den mother, H. 6-0288, meets Tuesday 3:30 p. m., 3285 Buena Vista.

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Tuesday 2 P. M. to 5 P. M.
Wednesday 2 P. M. to 7 P. M.
Thursday 11 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Friday 2 P. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturday 2 P. M. to 7 P. M.

"All May Help" Red Cross Theme

The American Red Cross this year has adopted "All May Help" as the theme of the 1950 fund raising campaign. By supporting Red Cross, citizens of National City help a family in Boston that is wiped out by fire. And the generous people of Escondido send Gray Ladies to visit the little patients in the Children's Convalescent Hospital on South 36th street in San Diego.

Last Year more than 7,000 men and women gave 350,000 hours of Red Cross services throughout the county. They outnumbered paid workers by more than 100 to one, and because of their devotion, San Diego Chapter was able to assume many more obligations than its limited budget could provide otherwise.

One of the most important responsibilities is the Community Blood Bank for which Red Cross recruited 21,547 donors since it opened in February, 1948. Whole blood, desperately needed, was provided without charge to 14 hospitals in the county. More than half of it was used to save the lives of mothers and babies. Red Cross volunteers act as receptionists and register the blood donors, and they provide the "coffee and snack" which is served after donation. It's a big job to keep records and manage the collection and distribution of 1400 pints of blood each month. Money is needed too, if the Blood Bank is to be kept functioning properly.

In its effort to protect health and safety, Red Cross offers free courses of instruction in Mother and Baby Care, Family Health, First Aid, Water Safety and Accident Prevention. Last summer 15,000 children learned to swim in Red Cross classes held in pools wherever they were available. In some cases groups of children were transported from several communities to participate in these swimming classes. Life guards and instructors all are graduates of Red Cross Life Saving courses.

One of San Diego Chapter's largest projects is the Home Service department which offers advice, counseling and financial help to servicemen, veterans and their families, and to victims of fires and other disasters. Last year Red Cross answered 21,763 appeals for help, which involved thousands of telephone inquiries, telegrams and personal services. Red Cross case workers drove 38,000 miles throughout the county to bring assistance to those in need.

Camp Fire Girls and Blue Birds

All Camp Fire groups in Lemon Grove are helping the Business Women's League sell tickets for the March of Dimes Talent Show to be given March 4.

Local Camp Fire leaders invited friends to a plastic party last Tuesday at Community Center. Refreshments were served after the demonstration.

The Iyopta group spent Monday afternoon, of last week, at the home of their leader, Mrs. Joe Young. They made attractive plaster-of-paris plaques and did shellcraft and figurine painting. Naomi Goyne helped plan the meeting and served refreshments. Mrs. D. Willac was a guest.

The Otyekwa Girls and Mrs. Genevieve Porter had a Valentine party at Community Center Monday evening. Games were played and refreshments served. Present were Frances and Helen Whiting, Suzanne Halahan, Peggy Thomas, Florence Porter, Charlotte Coshaw, Marlene Apple, Joyce Herbert, Glenna McAllister, Donna Shafer, Rosemary Blalock, Dale Meyer, Keith Brington, Danny O'Donnell, Judson Bower, Robert Jackson, Gale Smith and Don Monise.

At their Monday meeting the Otyekwa girls planned a Spanish dinner as one of their requirements for passing rank.

The Sunlight Group and their leader, Mrs. Lucia Lee, held a Valentine, party at the Congregational Church last Tuesday. Each girl invited a guest. Refreshments were served and games played.

A very impressive Candlelight Ceremonial was held at the new home of Mrs. Ed. Sonka, 7561 Cuyamaca on Monday after school, followed by a spaghetti dinner cooked by the girls. A Council Fire led by Jeanette Close, six girls passed their Trail Seekers rank. Honor beads and special awards were given to all the girls who passed rank: Janice Sanbury, Joan Skaidla, Shirley Quist, Linda Stinson, Janet Willard and Naomi Goyne of Mrs. Young's group. Mrs. Frank Stevens assisted and Mrs. Genevieve Porter was a guest leader.

Iyopta group met with their leader, Mrs. Joe Young, last Monday and started their 1950 birthday project making leather moccasins. Janet Willard and

Naomi Goyne passed their Trail Seekers Rank.

Today (Thursday) the Iyopta group is planning a trip into San Diego to visit the Debbier Shop at Walkers where the girls will learn how to select and buy clothes and choose correct color combinations.

FARM NEWS AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE

PRUNE EARLY OR LATE—BUT PRUNE

The pruning operation is not the place to start cutting orchard costs, advises B. J. Hall, farm advisor for the University of California Agricultural Extension Service. Growers should prune annually if they want to produce good quality fruit and continue production.

Last year's crop was very heavy in most California orchards, which meant an added problem of sizing. Heavy pruning will do part of this thinning job at a lower cost. Some varieties of fruit trees however may set a light crop in a year following a heavy set. With these varieties, heavy pruning may mean too much reduction in size of the crop. Growers should determine the fruit bud set first, before doing any heavy pruning. There is nothing to be gained by delaying pruning in California. On the other hand, A. D. Rizzi, specialist in deciduous fruits for Extension Service, says growers with small pruning crews need not worry about pruning over a longer period of time. The trees will not suffer so long as the pruning is complete by the time leaf growth starts.

TO STUDY POULTRY INCOME

Poultrymen are invited to attend meetings on what the San Diego County 1949 Poultry Egg Management Study means in determining 1950 income from your present flocks, according to Robert H. Adolph, farm advisor, San Diego County.

These meetings are held as a part of the regular Agricultural Extension Service Program of work in the field of poultry production in San Diego County in co-operation with the Farm Bureau Poultry Department.

The three meetings open to the public will be at: Fallbrook, Monday, February 27, 2:30 p. m.—Sam Bennet's Ranch, Live Oak Canyon Road, Carlsbad, Monday, February 27, 2:30 p. m.—Carlsbad Union Grammar School.

Grossmont, Tuesday, February 28, 7:30 p. m.—Grossmont Union High School.

AVOCADO GROWERS PLAN INSTITUTE

The fourth annual San Diego County avocado growers institute has been set for Saturday, March 25, Escondido, according to R. C. Sharp of Vista, Sharp, as chairman of the County Farm Bureau avocado department, was one of a committee of growers to plan this annual event which is held co-operatively with the Agricultural Extension Service.

This year's program of the all-day meeting is to be divided into two sections. The morning program will consist of talks on timely marketing, economic and cultural subjects of interest to all avocado growers. Discussions

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on the afternoon program will be on avocado culture, and be intended to be of more interest to the new avocado grower.

SETTING OF TOMATO PLANTS

Tomato plants may be set out in the frost free sections of San Diego County during February and March for the summer harvest suggests Bernard J. Hall, Farm Advisor. Plants are set 30 to 36 inches apart for staked and 3 to 5 feet apart for bush plants. Rows are separated 5 to 7 feet apart depending on tillage and dusting equipment.

Plant covering with hot caps is recommended as this gives added heat and some protection from lower temperatures.

The Pearson and Stone are preferred varieties for San Diego County.

Plants 6 to 8 inches tall and conditioned to outside temperatures are planted on the upper edge of ditches where irrigation water may be applied when needed.

The new bulletin "Propagation of Tomato Plants" is available at the Farm Advisor's office states Hall.

GIVE FRUIT TREES AN EARLY START

Plant deciduous trees before they start to grow in the Spring recommends Farm Advisor B. J. Hall, of the University of California Agricultural Extension Service.

A good rule of thumb in planting, he adds, is to have the bud union at, or slightly above, the ground level, depending on how the trees have been topworked at the nursery. With a little practice anyone can tell the point on the trunk which was even with the ground. The bark is much smoother where it grew below the surface where it was exposed. Some nurseries topwork or bud their seedlings from four to eight inches above ground level. Trees must be planted in the orchard with the bud union above the ground level or molds and rots will develop in the trunk. In heavy wet soil, where the temperature remains below 45 deg. F., the roots may not even start to grow. Deeply planted trees may survive in sandy soil, but will not do well in soils heavier than a loam.

Plant the trees in a hole wide and deep enough to accommodate the root system. Root pruning is not necessary except to remove misshapen, injured, or diseased roots, or to shorten extremely long roots for the sake of convenience. Never use the same shears for trimming root system and cutting back the tops,

because of the danger of spreading infectious diseases such as crown gall.

Trees planted in wet, heavy soil, early in the season when more rains are expected probably will not need a special application of water. Trees planted later in the season, when the leaf buds are about to open, may need more water to help them off to a good start. If the trees are tanked, let the soil settle a few days before tramping the back fill. If the tree settles too far, it can be pulled up to the proper height when the water has drained away, and the depression filled with more soil, if necessary. The bud union should still be at or above the average ground level, depending on the height at which the trees were budded in the nursery.

Cut off the tops of newly planted fruit trees at about 16 to 22 inches above the ground after they are planted. This will balance the root system and give a better opportunity to shape and train the tree.

Camp Fire Girls CALENDAR

BLUE BIRDS

Gay and Happy Blue Birds, Mrs. Robert Everett and Mrs. F. R. Faucher, guardians, meet Wednesday at 3:30 p. m., 7504 Central avenue.

Monday Morning Blue Birds, Mrs. Wm. Sileneck, guardian, meet Monday, 10:00 a. m., 2641 Bonita street.

Sunkist Blue Birds, Mrs. Ralph Lee, guardian, meet Wednesday, 3:30 p. m., Congregational Church.

Happy Hour Blue Birds, Mrs. Homer Blalock, guardian, meet Monday, 3:30 p. m., 1781 Dupont drive.

Sunflower Blue Birds, meet Saturday 10 a. m., 2305 Loma drive, Mrs. Herman Carpentier.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS

I Yo Pta, Mrs. Joe Young, guardian, meet Monday, 3:30 p. m., 7553 Cuyamaca avenue.

We Ya Nah, Mrs. Ed Sonka, guardian, meet Monday, 3:30 p. m., Congregational Church.

Oh Yo Kwa, Mrs. Genevieve Porter, guardian, meet Tuesday, 3:30 p. m., Congregational Church.

We Yen Nah, Mrs. R. E. Nelson, guardian, meets, 3:30 Thursday, 1570 Skyline drive.

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